## Allen Family Foods, Inc.

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Phone: FAX; email:

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SURFACE WATER

December 8, 2006

Ms. Amber Moore
Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Control
Division of Water Resources
89 Kings Highway
Dover, Delaware 19901

Re:

Permit #DE0000299

Discharge SW003

Dear Ms. Moore:

This letter is to follow up the 24 hour phone verification with your office that occurred yesterday concerning stormwater grab sample results for November 8, 2006. Per the notification requirements of Part II, Section A.2.(b) of the referenced permit, we report the following:

## Allen's - Harbeson Stormwater 003 Grab Sample

BOD5 80.6 mg/L

Total Suspended Solids 1,680 mg/L

Oil & Grease 38.4 mg/L

Fecal Enterococcus 163,640 / 100 mls

Due to the rain event on November 8, 2006 at 8:30 a.m. I performed a check of Stormwater stations 002 and 003. I found SW002 to be operating normally and Sw003 to be discharging stormwater. I went into the station and found the sump to be nearly empty. It was obvious that the inlet pipe to the station was blocked. Clean Delaware, Inc. was called to come in and pump the outside sump and clear the blockage. It was found that a dead raccoon was lodged against the opening to the pipe. The dead animal was removed and the flow began to immediately enter the station and was pumped to the wastewater treatment plant for the remainder of the rain event. The discharge occurred for approximately one hour until the sump was pumped and cleaned.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to give me a call at (302) 684-1640, Ext. 184.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLEN FAMILY FOODS, INC.

Michael R. Sause

**Environmental Manager** 

cc: Mr. Allen McCloskey